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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 06502.0323-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Thomas V. JOHNSON et al.) Group Art Unit: 2161
Application No.: 09/895,077) Examiner: Brian D. Goddard
Filed: July 2, 2001)
For: METHODS AND SYSTEM FOR) Confirmation No.: 9092
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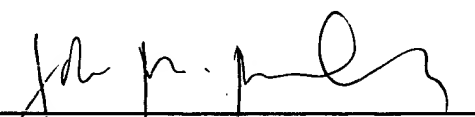
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed May 5, 2005, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.